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SAP TY PROGRAM

- 1. The President has indicated his concern with the problem of injuries to Federal employees and has expressed the interest of the Government in the development of effective safety programs in every Government agency and department. The President's concern over this problem is understandable in view of the fact that during the year of 1954, more than \$26,000,000 was paid out in compensation for injuries to Federal workers.
- 2. The accident rates for our Agency are much lower than the average rates for the Federal Government. I am pleased with the progress made in the development of our present safety progress and with the support given it by all employees. In view of the increased emphasis on reducing accidents and injuries and on improving the overall safety progress, I would like to urge such of you, personally, not only to make every effort to maintain our present good record but to strive to make it even better.

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